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Dear Sir:

The attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the references listed on the attached PTO/SB/08. The references were previously submitted in an Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) submitted on July 14, 2006. However, the Examiner objected to the references due to the absence of authors ("Foundation of Sound Recognition..." and "Applied Mathematics...") and article ("Hidden Markov Model..."). The missing information is now listed on the attached PTO/SB/08, and the missing article is now attached.

The absence of authors and missing article were inadvertent and we respectfully request that the information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the references be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

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